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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Unbundled network access is critical to competitive and, as importantly, diversified network providers to ensure business continuity and competitive pricing. It's come to my attention, from Sonic, that AT&T/USTelecom have recently petitioned the FCC to take away access to critical unbundled network elements.

I'd like to voice the importance of keeping unbundled network access accessible to all providers. I have multiple provider for network continuity and because Sonic providers better customer service. Moreover, I also have Comcast as a provider. AT&T is in my neighborhood as well but have chosen not to use them due to prior experiences with awful service, intermittent outages and customer support not being responsive.

I'm luckily to live in an urban area that has multiple choices and as an American I feel everyone should have freedom of choice in all areas - please keep unbundled network access available to all.

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